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In re application of:

Arti Arora, et al.

Application No.: 09/823,955

Filed: March 30, 2001

For: ELECTRONIC MATCHING
ENGINE FOR MATCHING DESIRED
CHARACTERISTICS WITH ITEM
ATTRIBUTES

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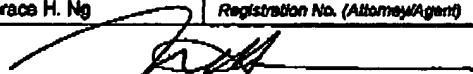
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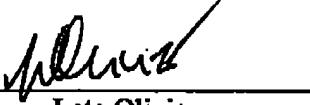
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